

aid, "to provide for the support of the government, the function of a penalty clearly involves the idea of punishment for infraction of the law." To impose a penalty, notice must be given, it added, and there must be a hearing. "Even though the imposition is considered a tax," it stated, "it has punitive purpose it must be preceded by opportunity to contest its validity."

MAY GIVE DECISION ON MERGER TODAY

Sec'y Wallace Expected to Announce Ruling on Armour's Proposal.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(By A. P.)—The government's decision on the proposal of Armour & Co. to purchase physical assets and property of one of its competitors, Morris & Co., another of the Chicago "big five" packing establishments, is expected to be made known tomorrow by Sec'y Wallace of the department of agriculture. Mr. Wallace, who has been considering the proposal since it was informally presented to him by J. Edgar Armour personally a month ago, held what was said to be a final conference on the question late today with F. Edison White, president of Armour and company, and C. J. Paulkner, general counsel for the company.

In formulating his decision, Sec'y Wallace has had the benefit of a formal opinion from Atty. Gen. Daugherty on its legal aspects as affected by the anti-trust laws and has been advised by his experts in the packers and stockyards administration on other phases of the proposal as it might affect producers and consumers. From a legal standpoint government officials, it is believed, find no obstacle in the way of the purchase of the Morris plant. Experts of the packers and stockyards administration, however, are said to be not fully convinced that the economies which Armour and company contend will be affected by the combining of the two will tend to benefit producers and consumers.

NEGRO SUSPECT IS LYNCHED BY MOB

Texas Shoot and Kill Man for Alleged Attack on Young Woman.

STREETMAN, Tex., Dec. 11.—(By A. P.)—George Jay, 25, negro, arrested this morning in connection with an alleged attack on a young woman here, was shot and killed by a mob this afternoon. The body was left chained to the tree in a creek bottom, three miles south of Streetman. Feeling continued to run high in this community following the shooting. Local and county officers held a party shortly after noon in a bank building here and decided the only chance for the negro's safety lay in his removal to Fairfield. Approximately 250 automobiles were in the line when the sheriff's party removed the negro from the building where he had been kept under guard. At a point where the highway crossed a creek bottom, the sheriff's party was overtaken and the negro was removed from its custody by the mob. The officers were held under an armed guard while the negro was chained to a tree and his body riddled with bullets.

CONFESSES SETTING FIRE TO FARM HOUSE
INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 11.—(By A. P.)—Seeking revenge, Paul Jantz, 64, set fire Saturday night to the home of William Albers, southwest of this city, according to a confession made by Jantz to Indianapolis police this afternoon. Jantz said that he had been living on the farm of E. H. Ferguson, adjacent to the Albers farm. He said that he married Martha Albers in 1920 and they lived together until last March. In his confession, Jantz said that the Albers family was the cause of the estrangement.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES

Those members of the Senior class who have a part in the cast "The Trysting Place" the play which the class will present before the assembly Wednesday morning, spent three hours in rehearsal Monday evening at the high school. The group is coached by Miss Mathewson and indications are that their efforts will meet with instant approval. The property committee has been named and include, Hildebrand Von Barandy, chairman; Shirley Rices, Mary Harriet Miller, Mary Slick, Nellie Rose, Leland Miller, Glenn Hatch, Chester Corp, Henry McNabb, Carl Reckstroff, Welcome Nierencour and Alice Ruple.

The Christmas vacation will begin on Friday, Dec. 22, ending Tuesday, Jan. 2. This means that the vacation is just seven school days away and that it will last ten days. English instructors have ordered all outside reading reports in before the vacation and that students will avoid disaster on the final grade if they adhere to this.

The Boy's Debating club meets Wednesday evening for a business session in room 217.

Alumni Girl Reserves meet tonight at the Y. M. C. A. The meeting will be in charge of Miss Doris L. Bishop, girls' athletic director.

This afternoon and evening the Drama club are to present their regular monthly program. A one-act comedy "Suppressed Desires" is to be presented with Godfrey Miller playing a leading role. Dorothy McLaughlin will also feature the program with a reading. This program will be given in the Little Theater.

Turks originally came from central Asia. The Turks of Turkey are only a small part of the whole group. Turks are spoken over large tracts of Russia, in Turkistan and in Yakutsk, on the shores of the Arctic ocean.

EXPOSE SCANDAL IN COUNTY JAIL; TURNKEY 'FIRED'

Sheriff Declares Bernhard Exceeded Authority in Freeing Prisoners.

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clered he had no statement to make, and would give no explanation that would tend to clear him of malfeasance. His attitude was decidedly different than when he was approached Monday morning. At the Bernhard home when a statement was sought from the discharged turnkey was Deputy Sheriff Ora Taylor, who in the evening primaries was a candidate for the Republican nomination for sheriff. During the interview with Bernhard and Mrs. Bernhard, the latter playing a prominent part in it, Taylor was absolutely silent.

Sheriff Victimized.
One hour after Taylor was left at the Bernhard home, word was received from the county jail that Taylor had returned from Mishawaka with the "lost" prisoner, Vintella, the deputy having gone to Mishawaka and found the missing prisoner. Vintella will now serve the five days remaining of his unfinished sentence.

Sheriff Duck maintains that he has been entirely ignorant not only of the premature release of Vintella but also of the granting of unduly liberties to other prisoners under the guise of making them trustees. He declared that if such practices had been carried on, he was an innocent victim of violation of confidence by men whom he had implicitly trusted.

Within the past week there have been rumors of numerous cases of liberties, far beyond those ordinarily allowed, being extended to county jail prisoners. These rumors were brought to the attention of Sheriff Duck last week, and he denied that there was anything wrong in the administration of the county jail. He admitted it was possible that certain county jail prisoners might have been seen on the streets but stated that in any such cases the prisoners were "trustees" who had some special duty which took them outside of the county jail.

Find "Prisoner" on Street.
The specific case of City Court Judge Chester Rhodds, who had been assigned to do certain work at the police station in the city hall, and that he made trips alone back and forth between the city hall and the jail.

Sheriff Duck also stated that Rhodds had recently accompanied Deputy Sheriff Frank Keer to Legansport with an insane prisoner, the sheriff saying that Rhodds had handled the prisoner in the jail and was the only available man to accompany a deputy with him to the insane asylum. Another convicted bootlegger who is alleged to have been granted special liberties is Frank Buckiewicz, soft drink parlor proprietor at 1229 Grace st., sentenced on Sept. 7 to serve a 120-day suspended sentence. At the Buckiewicz soft drink parlor the information was given out that the county jail prisoner had frequently visited his place of business in the afternoon, "once or twice a week," according to his relatives, and usually in the afternoon.

Half Century Resident of County Dies at Age of 92

Mrs. Jane Coover, 92 years old, a resident of this community for 64 years, died at her home on the Sample street rd. in Warren township, at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, death resulting from a brief illness of three days. Mrs. Coover was born in Carlisle, Pa., on Sept. 1, 1830, and had come to Warren township from there in 1868, making her home there the rest of her life. She is survived by three sons, Calvin and James, living at home, and Frank, of Harbor Springs, Mich.; one daughter, Mrs. Anna Bradley, of Warren township, and a brother and sister, John Roush and Mrs. Sarah Baker, both of Carlisle, Pa. She was an active member of the German Baptist church and was the widow of Adam Coover, who died in 1920. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

Editor Analyzes Recent Election in Great Britain

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ram that would be regarded as revolutionary at home and which did succeed in electing one member who boasted of the opening day that he believed in the Soviets of Russia and had a direct connection with Lenin, and those who desire to preserve the established standards of commerce and of business. It was the challenge of a new order of government control of industry, and in that battle, Lloyd George, because of his former friendship for the worker was sacrificed by the men and women who formerly trusted him but who feared the menace, and by the workers who demanded much more than he was prepared to give or sanction.

TWO ANNAPOLIS HAZERS OUSTED

Three Other Midshipmen Lose One Year Each in Academy Courses.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—(By A. P.)—Midshipmen Bruce H. Robinson, appointed from Arizona, and Stuart H. Hawkins, appointed from Massachusetts, were ordered dismissed from the naval academy today, President Harding having approved court martial sentences resulting from the recent hazing at the academy.

On recommendation of Sec'y Denby the president approved modification of discipline in the cases of Midshipmen Thomas J. Casey, Massachusetts, Thomas E. Boyce, Indiana and H. C. Fish, New York, to loss of one year each in their academy course.

The accumulated hazing cases at the academy were taken up with the president by Sec'y Denby, his recommendations approved throughout. Other cases of a similar nature await final action. The dismissal from the academy of Midshipmen Robinson, whose home is in Chandler, Ark., resulted from his court martial for hazing Midshipman William H. McGregor, of Indiana, Pa., who was taken to the academy hospital for treatment afterwards. The other cases bear on different incidents, but the dismissal of Midshipman Hawkins also is one of those in which physical injury or excessive humiliation was caused to the man hazed.

SPANISH VISITORS GIVE INTERESTING VIEWS OF AMERICA

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Rhods has influenced the general preference of music in Spain. "One of the foremost music masters in Barcelona says that a great portion of Andalusian music of Spain came into the country from religious music of the Greeks through the Arabs."

"Students of music coming into the country from Egypt, upon hearing the Andalusian music, pronounce it identical to the native music of their country." The party plans remaining in South Bend for a few days and then going to Detroit, where they will inspect the Michigan plants of the Studebaker Corp. In Detroit, Senator Romagosa will place his son, Manuel, in the Studebaker sales school, where he is to be educated to American methods.

The party then plans going back east, visiting such places of interest as Niagara Falls and the Adirondack mountains while enroute to New York City. They expect to sail for Europe about the first of the year.

RIOTING ACCOMPANIES POLISH INAUGURATION

WARSAW, Dec. 11.—(By A. P.) Rioting, in which there was loss of life and injury to many persons, marked the ceremony of swearing in of Gabriel Narutowicz as president of Poland. It is estimated that 20,000 Nationalists, mostly students and school boys, sought to prevent the inaugural ceremony but beyond pelting the new president with snow-balls the demonstration accomplished nothing. Narutowicz reached the assembly chamber and took the oath of president in the prescribed form, but only in the presence of the radical non-Polish members, as the Nationalists remained away.

Deaths

MARY M. DECKER.

Mrs. Mary M. Decker died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Mylott, 1328 E. Dayton st., early Monday morning, after an illness of one week with pneumonia. She was born in Magnolia, Wis., June 28, 1852, and was 70 years of age. She came here four years ago from Beloit, Wis.

Besides the daughter, at whose home she died, others surviving her are: one son, Charles Decker, of Milwaukee; four brothers, Oscar Turney, Rockford, Ill., Charles Turney, Las Cruces, New Mex., E. N. Turney and A. C. Turney, both of Beloit.

Funeral services will be held from the Mylott home Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Rev. Elmer Ward Cole officiating. The body will be sent to Durand, Ill., Wednesday morning for burial.

CAROLINE MYERS.

Mrs. Caroline Myers died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Thomas F. Hayes, 226 Hammond ct., Monday morning at 12:30 o'clock, after an illness of six years with arthritis.

Mrs. Myers was born in Snyder county Pa., Nov. 27, 1845. She was married June 21, 1863 to Elijah Myers in Summit county, Ohio and came to South Bend seven years ago from Plymouth, Ind.

She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. T. F. Hayes at whose

home she died, Mrs. A. M. Gastil and Mrs. C. Ammons, one brother, Frank Glass of Massillon, Ohio, and one sister, Mrs. Ellen Wilby of South Bend. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

HENRY JONES.

Henry Jones 1509 W. Orange st., died Monday morning at 2:30 o'clock following an illness of three weeks with bladder trouble.

He is survived by his wife Harriet, and two daughters, Mrs. Laura Williams of Memphis, Tenn., and Georgia Jones of Jonestown, Mex. He was born November 5, 1859 and was 62 years of age. He came here about seven months ago from Memphis where he had been a minister for nearly 40 years.

Funeral services will be held from the Zion Baptist church Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Burial will be in Highland cemetery.

MARY C. ROBISON.

Mrs. Mary C. Robison died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. H. Pomranka, 1513 High st., Sunday evening at 8:30. She had been an invalid for seven years.

She was born June 15, 1854 and came here five years ago from Nappanee. Besides her daughter, at whose home she died, she leaves four children, Mrs. V. Conenaver, Mrs. Charles Groves, Louis Jacob and Frank Robison, of Nappanee.

Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

STATISTICS

BIRTHS.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hilling, 615 E. Howard st., son, Dec. 9, at Epworth hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Carl A. Hilling, 615 E. Howard st., son, Dec. 9, a son. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis N. Watkins, 1545 Poland st., Dec. 7, a son.

BUILDING PERMITS.

Two-story brick veneer dwelling, 1124 Blaine av., Mrs. E. E. Horspool, owner, estimated cost \$10,000. One-story frame dwelling, \$25 Eckman st., J. C. Boyer, \$1,500.

MOVING PERMITS.

Charles Berlow, 719 Postage av., to 122 E. Kasey st. B. and S. Sandock, 1903 W. Washington av., to 1217-19 W. Washington av. Garret Walsh, Jr., 505 W. Washington av., to 524 S. Main st. Charles F. Bethard, 513 E. Milton st., to 311 E. Dayton st. W. S. Mortimer, 1709 Douglas av., to 1117 S. Franklin st. Joseph Parvack, 1528 W. Linton st., to four miles west of South Bend.

Albert Stachucki, 515 S. Palaski st., to 206 S. Meade st.

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Will Written on Meat Market Pad is Valid

ELIZABETH, N. J., Dec. 11.—Samuel Kirshen, a tailor, was taken violently ill some time ago in a local butcher shop. He dictated the terms of his will to the butcher, who took it down in his order book. Surrogate Coddington has decided the will is valid.

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